

MAYOR SCHMITZ AND ABE RUEF IN COURT

WIFE DYING KILLS HER HUSBAND'S SLAYER

Three Shot Dead in Road in Quarrel Over a Ranch.

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 3.—Three corpses side by side in the road between Escondido and San Luis Rey dam, resulted from what was but a casual meeting of two ranchers named Howard Gore and Edward Brady this morning. The two have been at enmity for some time over a lawsuit over a claim. Gore is alleged to have jumped and it is said that many threats have been made.

This morning the two met on the highway sixteen miles from Escondido, in what is known as Holla Hole Canyon, along the line of the Escondido irrigation ditch. The dispute was renewed and Gore shot Brady, killing him. Mrs. Brady, who was present, got hold of a gun and shot Gore, who then succeeded in killing Mrs. Brady before he died.

Gore was understood to be unmarried, but Brady had been married twice, his divorced wife being Mrs. E. M. Abel of Escondido.

It is said that when the three met this morning the Bradys were unarmed, while Gore carried his rifle and immediately began firing at Brady. Two shots took effect, but through serious wounds, Brady was able to get to an open ditch where he sought to protect himself from Gore's fire.

Gore ran up to the ditch and deliberately fired on Brady, killing him. He then turned his attention to Mrs. Brady, who had started for the house. He fired twice at the woman, wounding her and continuing to advance. She succeeded in getting into the house, where there was a rifle which she loaded and knew how to use.

As Gore continued to come toward the house Mrs. Brady broke out a pane of glass in the window and fired. The shot took effect, but before Gore dropped he managed to fire another shot, which killed Mrs. Brady.

Brady was 31 years of age and Gore was 46. Vicent Woods, who was at the Brady house, is the only witness to the triple tragedy.

SPECIAL AUCTION SALE.

We have received instructions to sell the fine furniture, carpets, piano, etc., of No. 59 Twelfth street, corner Tenth avenue, East Oakland, Sale Tuesday, Dec. 4, at 11 a. m. Consisting of one fine piano, carpets, large rug, pictures, parlor furniture, couch, oak dining table, chairs and sideboard, iron beds, odd dressers, bedding, hall rug, range, etc. All must and will be sold.

J. A. MUNRO & CO., Auctioneers.

NEW PRISON LAWS HIS AIM NOW FREE

Millionaire Griffith Leaves San Quentin.

SAN QUENTIN, Dec. 3.—Colonel Griffith J. Griffith, the Los Angeles millionaire, was released from the State prison here at 6 o'clock this morning, having completed a two years' sentence for shooting and wounding his wife at Santa Monica on September 3, 1903.

His term of imprisonment was considerably reduced by credits. On leaving the prison, Mr. Griffith refused to discuss his case or future plans.

It is understood that he proceeded direct to Los Angeles. Though Griffith has refused to talk for publication, he has not failed to tell his friends at the prison just what he intends to do after his release. In the first place he is going to look after his vast property interests, which he claims have been neglected since his imprisonment. He will attend to this first, and then society is to get the benefit of his two years of penal servitude. He is going to head—or, more properly, back—a campaign for genuine prison reform in this State. He says that he never knew that there was such a field for intelligent labor, and that the few remaining years of his life shall be devoted to an effort to have the prison laws and methods changed and reformed.

TO WORK FOR REFORM.

As a millionaire, dining on the best and mingling with the best, he never knew of the heartaches, sorrows and misfortunes of the convict class. He believes that prisons should reform men and not make them worse. To effect these changes in our laws, he will give freely of his time, experience and money.

Another law that he declares he will have changed is the present parole law. With might and main he will try to get the next Legislature to take the paroling of prisoners out of the hands of the prison directors and place it in the hands of a specially constituted Parole Commission, which will be composed of men who will devote all necessary time to the consideration of the application for parole or pardon.

HIS PET HOBBIES.

Griffith feels strongly the need of this commission, for if it had existed he would have been freed some two months ago. At that time his application for parole was filed, but as it was about the sixtieth on the list it could not be reached by the board of directors before the full term of imprisonment expired. Griffith has repeatedly declared to people at the prison that these two matters will be his pet hobbies, though there is one other of which he hints at in whispers—temperance.

The men who knew Griffith at a "hall fellow" well met, who saw him year in and year out, told the prison authorities, reaping a bitter harvest at last—those house renovations will see in the Griffith J. Griffith, a word of the State, a bitter foe of all those fleeing pleasures. Years of quiet, regular and simple life have changed his views on many subjects.

CONGRESS IN SESSION; JAPANESE LEGISLATION IS UNDER DISCUSSION

MATTER CONSIDERED BY THE CALIFORNIA DELEGATION

MEASURES ARE READY FOR HOUSES

MANY IMPORTANT BILLS ARE SOON TO BE CONSIDERED.

Committees Are Appointed and Legislators Get Down to Work.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The House adjourned at 12:53.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—At 12:44 the Senate adjourned until tomorrow.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The two houses of Congress were called to order at 12 o'clock today.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The appearance of Speaker Cannon at the opening of the House today was the signal for a hearty round of applause from both members and gallery, which lasted until he brought the gavel down, convening the last session of the fifty-ninth Congress.

Immediately following the prayer of the chaplain the roll was called by States.

The opening was attended by a great number of ladies in the galleries.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The question of spelling undoubtedly will receive attention at the hands of Congress this week. The sub-committee of the House committee on appropriations, which provided the executive and judicial appropriation bill will report that measure to the full committee today with the old form of spelling retained and it will be for the committee to decide whether the simplified spelling method shall be used.

There is a possibility that the Congressional Record will contain both styles of spelling. Representative Charles Landis, chairman of the House Committee on Printing, in discussing the question, said:

REMAIN OLD-FASHIONED.

"The Congressional Record will continue to be printed as heretofore. I mean that the simplified spelling rules will not apply to the Record. Of course, in reprinting the President's message in the Record, the simplified spelling forms that appear in the document will be printed, but otherwise the Record will continue to be the same old-fashioned fireside companion as of yore."

The friends of the ship-subsidy bill are insistent that that meas-

PRESIDENT'S NOMINATIONS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The President today sent the following nominations to the Senate:

Secretary of the Treasury—George B. Cortelyou.
Attorney General—Charles J. Bonaparte.
Postmaster-General—George L. von Meyer.
Secretary of the Navy—Victor H. Metcalf.
Secretary of the Interior—James R. Garfield.
Secretary of Commerce and Labor—Oscar S. Strauss.
Associate Justice Supreme Court—William H. Moody.
Arthur W. Merrifield, to be United States Marshal for the District of Montana.



VICTOR H. METCALF, of Oakland, whose nomination for Secretary of the Navy was today sent to the United States Senate by President Roosevelt. Unusual interest is centered about Mr. Metcalf because of the fact that he had the investigation of the Japanese situation on this coast in hand and that matter is to be freely discussed by the President, the Cabinet and the United States lawmakers. The situation is quite generally discussed by the officials at Washington, and measures affecting the Japanese are to be introduced in both Houses at an early day.

According to the story told by Harrison, he went to his home at 140 Laurel street, last Friday night, later than he was accustomed. He found dinner was over and the dishes removed. His daughters, Edith and Elvira, were seated in the kitchen, but Mrs. Harrison was nowhere to be seen.

Harrison said he asked for his wife, desiring to explain his tardiness in reaching home. He asserts he was kept down town on business. Receiving no response from his daughters as to the whereabouts of their mother, Harrison searched the house, but did not find her. He returned to the kitchen and remarked his family was absent as to his presence.

TONG WAR OF LOCAL CHINESE TONIGHT

Extra Police Detail to Protect the Innocents.

It is expected that tonight a big Tong war will be commenced in Chinatown. Chief of Police Wilson has heard the rumor of the impending battle of rival Celestials, and tonight will detail an extra guard to be on duty within the precincts of Chinatown to keep the peace and prevent the shedding of blood.

If the war is not begun tonight, the police will be on a sharp lookout until the rumored trouble subsides.

It is said the impending fracas is due to a quarrel over an indebtedness. What this indebtedness is or what Tongs are directly interested in it has not been ascertained by Chief Wilson.

Gee Gam, a police court interpreter, was sent to Chinatown this morning to ascertain the cause of the trouble, if there is any.

Recently it was rumored that the war of the Tongs was brewing and that henchmen from Stockton were coming to this city to participate in the battle.

As yet Chief Wilson has not received any definite information as to the cause of the trouble or when the war will break out.

These wars were frequent in San Francisco before the fire, but so far Oakland has not experienced any trouble among its Chinese residents.

Captain of Police Peterson has been investigating the rumor of an impending war, and states that he believes that the battle will not come off for some time. The representative tongs in this city are On Yik Tay and Sing Tong, and the six companies, Captain Peterson states that the indebtedness which the Tongs are likely to war over is between two of their members, one of whom refuses to pay the other.

GREETINGS BETWEEN ACCUSED MEN

Statement Is Given to Tribune by Official.

(Special to THE TRIBUNE.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—Mayor Schmitz of San Francisco and Abe Ruef appeared in Judge Dunne's court this morning to answer to the charges of extortion that have been brought against them.

Contrary to general opinion expressed heretofore, the defendants will not be tried together, but will each answer to specific charges as units. Adjournment was asked for in both cases, and the mayor's case will come up for trial on Monday next, while that of Ruef has been set for Thursday morning.

ANXIOUS FOR TRIAL.

Throughout the proceedings, Mayor Schmitz evinced an anxiety to get to trial with the charges against him as speedily as possible. The same can hardly be said of the Republican boss, who was represented by the verbose Sammy Shortridge, and Henry Aoh. Both these gentlemen overlooked no opportunity where it was possible to spar for time, and came into court loaded down to the guards with legal and equitable objections of every kind.

Mayor Schmitz was represented by Pink Drew, of the firm of Temple, Mitchell & Drew.

When court rose he took occasion to make a statement to THE TRIBUNE'S representative.

THE MAYOR'S REQUEST.

"I have only one request to make," said his honor, "and that is, that the respectable element of San Francisco and California at large will withhold their judgment concerning my acts until such time as the facts have been thoroughly ventilated, and a verdict has been rendered by twelve honest men."

"I don't care to go at length into any of the peculiar phases of the case."

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WIFE SAYS HUSBAND BIT HER SHOULDERS

Marital Trouble Aired in Court; Tells of Daughter's Wielding a Stove-Lifter.

The arrest of Henry L. Harrison, an employee of the Western Improvement Company, on a charge of battery, preferred by his wife, Mrs. Lena A. Harrison, has brought to light a family squabble, which Harrison states almost resulted in his murder at the hands of his own daughter, Edith, aged fifteen years. Mrs. Harrison alleges her husband used his teeth during a quarrel over a trivial matter and severely bit her about the shoulders, and for this she had him arrested.

According to the story told by Harrison, he went to his home at 140 Laurel street, last Friday night, later than he was accustomed. He found dinner was over and the dishes removed. His daughters, Edith and Elvira, were seated in the kitchen, but Mrs. Harrison was nowhere to be seen.

Harrison said he asked for his wife, desiring to explain his tardiness in reaching home. He asserts he was kept down town on business. Receiving no response from his daughters as to the whereabouts of their mother, Harrison searched the house, but did not find her. He returned to the kitchen and remarked his family was absent as to his presence.

Harrison declared he had no more than said this than his daughter, Edith, picked up a stove-lifter and commenced to beat him over the head with it. He fell to the floor and Elvira assisted her sister. Mrs. Harrison then entered the room, and Harrison declares that she, too, commenced to beat him.

In order to protect himself, he asserted, he crumpled his wife and daughter aside, but did not harm them. Neighbors rushed into the house, and Mrs. Harrison called the police. Harrison was arrested, and later released on \$100 bail.

This morning the accused husband appeared in Department 2 of the police court and entered a plea of not guilty. His trial was set for December 17. It is said Mrs. Harrison is endeavoring to drop the charges against her husband.

Harrison said this morning: "I did not bite my wife, but the bruises about her shoulders were caused by the blows which my daughter intended for me. I intend to sign the charge made against me by my wife, but I would rather that the whole matter was dropped and I could return home and patch the trouble up. I do not think, however, that I was in the wrong."

(Cut out this Coupon).

VOTE COUPON

The Oakland Tribune Popularity Contest

Please register one vote for

Name

Address

As the most popular

THIS COUPON IS NOT GOOD AFTER DEC. 13, 1906.

POPULAR PEACE DEFENDER IN THE FIGHT FOR REVOLVER

Henry E. Jamison of Berkeley Has Support of Host of Friends in the Tribune's Contest.

Henry E. Jamison, on the police force of Berkeley, and whose photograph appears above, has signified his intentions of making a try for the fine revolver. By his way of rounding up the offenders, Mr. Jamison has won the confidence of his chief and the respect of all who know him.

The over-Sunday voting was very heavy, as was expected, but we managed to count all the votes before going to press. As the time passes, more interest is being manifested, and each day may see new leaders.

By the schedule of votes you will notice a certificate of two votes is given when a subscriber is put in advance for a year. Get in the "dollar for dollar" company by turning in the copies of the paper, etc. them out and have all your friends see that you will be surprised how fast they will count up.

Miss Lenore Redull aspires to win the prize. She may not have as much experience in life as some of the other candidates but it is the opinion of those acquainted with her that she has as many friends as the other contestants.

"Pop" Ingersoll, one of the boys, made this office a pleasant call Saturday evening. "Pop" does not see any reason why he should not win, neither do his many acquaintances, who have offered him their loyal support. But Mr. Ingersoll will have some stiff competition. Mr. Scott, Mr. Hill, Mr. Eberly, Mr. Carlson and others in this district are also very popular conductors.

The teachers of the county are beginning to take a lively interest in the contest, owing to the advantages in the prizes allotted to them. Travel is one of the greatest pleasures, and while it furnishes recreation, it will also give to the teacher who is fortunate enough to secure it a fund of knowledge and an experience that can be drawn upon for years to come. A trip to Mexico, or to Honolulu, just think of the pleasure and all for a few weeks' personal exertion and effort. Many a man or woman in America would be willing to work and save, doing without nearly all the comforts of life for a year or more if by so doing they might take one of these trips. Here it is to be given to you for what? Only a little earnest effort than can be done outside of your regular hours. Go after it with a determination to win and be the one to succeed.

MANNER OF VOTING.
A coupon good for one vote will be published in each issue of the TRIBUNE until the end of the contest. This coupon, if clipped and sent to the Contest Manager of THE TRIBUNE, will count as one vote for the contestant named therein.

There is also another way of securing votes and that is on subscriptions. Votes will be given on all name-in-advance subscriptions as follows:
One month, \$50 25 extra votes
Three months, \$150 100 extra votes
Six months, \$300 200 extra votes
One year, \$750 1000 extra votes

As these subscriptions are handed in, certificates will be issued good for the number of votes called for in the above schedule.

The name of the candidate to be voted for must be written on a certificate when issued, and is non-transferable, but if the party



HENRY E. JAMISON, WHO ENTERS THE TRIBUNE'S CONTEST

to whom it is issued so desires, the certificate need not be voted at the time of issuance, but may be withheld until the last day of the contest. The votes published within ten days, must be voted within ten days.
If you do not fully understand about this, or if you wish information about the best way to go about it to win, call at THE TRIBUNE office or write to Contest Manager, care TRIBUNE.

MOST POPULAR YOUNG LADIES.
Prizes—\$100 Gold Watch.
OAKLAND DISTRICT.

Miss Lillian Graham	1071
Miss Lillian Johnson	1071
Miss Ethel Tuck	42
Miss Lenore Redull	287
Miss Christine Schramm	189
Miss Maude Palmer	183
Miss Agnes Burke	183
Miss Jean Wilson	102
Miss Belle Joslin	78
Miss Alice Flood	78
Miss Alice Snow	78
Miss Doris Fleck	78
Miss Hazel Burton	78

BERKELEY DISTRICT.

Miss Florence McNamara	290
Miss Gladys Eldridge	191
Miss Myrtle Humphrey	42
Miss Edith Ostrander	42
Miss Emma Greengard	42
Miss Lillian Greengard	42
Miss Naomi Greengard	42
Miss Rose Gallagher	42
Miss Alice Ward	42
Miss Mamie Higgins	42
Miss Mattie Snow	42
Miss Ethel Jamison	42
Miss Ada Renner	42

MEMORY OF DEPARTED ELKS HONORED BY FINE SERVICE OF ORATORY AND SONG



Past Grand Exalted Ruler Brown. Grand Exalted Ruler Henry A. Melvin, who Delivered an Eulogy Yesterday.

Oration by Past Grand Exalted Ruler Brown and Eulogy by Grand Exalted Ruler Melvin Features of an Impressive Program.

Memorial services by which the Elks annually pay tribute to the memory of their deceased members were held yesterday at the First Congregational Church, corner of Twelfth and Clay streets, under the auspices of Oakland Lodge, No. 171; Berkeley Lodge, No. 1002, and Alameda Lodge, No. 1015, of that order. The church, elaborately decorated with palms, ferns and pepper boughs, intermingled with the royal purple of the Elks, was packed to its capacity.

Just prior to the opening of the ceremonies, the members of the three lodges, wearing their colors and insignia, marched from their hall in column of twos, and, entering the church, proceeded to the space reserved for them by broad bands of purple ribbon.

After an organ prelude, Le Mare's "Andantino," softly rendered by Miss Mabel Hill, a male chorus consisting of forty Elks, under the direction of E. W. Crandall, sang "It Is the Lord's Own Day," by Kreutzer, after which Exalted Ruler I. Harrison Clay proceeded with the opening ceremonies, a short address on the theme, "In the midst of life we are in death." This was followed by the tenor solo, "O Thy 'Those Tears,'" sung by special request by E. James Finney, a brother Elk, a feature of which was the violinello obbligato by William Lelmer. Responses by the officers of the lodge, taken from their ritual, were next in order, concluding with the official sign of grief of the Elks, participated in by all the members, after which the lodges joined in singing an ode asking for blessings on their beloved dead to the air of "Auld Lang Syne." At this point the chaplain of the order, Rev. C. R. Brown, offered up a short prayer, followed by Marston's "I Am a Pilgrim; I Am a Stranger," beautifully sung by a ladies' quartet consisting of Mrs. Elmer L. Cave, Miss Ruth Waterman, Miss Louise Feldheim and Miss Sue Waterman.

Upon its conclusion Past Grand Exalted Ruler Robert W. Brown of Louisville, Ky., entered upon the theme of the occasion, "The Empire of Human Remembrance." It is seldom Oakland has the opportunity of hearing a more eloquent speaker than Mr. Brown, whose oratory plentifully interspersed with flowers of imagery, fervent and moving, all hearts were turned to a sense of the beautiful in word pictures. While alluding briefly to the memory of the dead members, his principal efforts were directed to the living, to take advantage of the fleeting moment to do what good came in their way, and above all things to follow rigidly the precepts of their order, which have caused the members of the Elks to be recognized with joy in all portions of the world, to do something for somebody and do it now, and carve monuments for themselves in the hearts of those left to mourn them. Upon the conclusion of Mr. Brown's address, the male chorus sang "Thanatopsis," which was followed by a cornet solo, "The Holy City," charmingly and fervently rendered by Thomas Valera.

The eulogy, taken from the ritual, was pronounced by Grand Exalted Ruler Henry A. Melvin, after which Lowell Redfield sang Verdi's "From the Accursed."

The closing ceremonies were again taken from the ritual and were in the hands of the lodge.

The closing musical number was "One Sweetly Solemn Thought," sung by the ladies' quartet, followed by

MOST POPULAR MOTORMAN.
Prizes—\$100 Gold Watch.

George M. Smith	1573
P. L. McNelis	1329
A. N. Smith	105
Charles Dixon	268
H. Swanson	24
Charles Cole	22
J. Cannon	28
William Sauter	14

MOST POPULAR TEACHER.
Prizes—A round-trip ticket to the City of Mexico.

Miss Ann H. Ringhart	297
Miss Mary Aver	178
Miss Rosella M. Andrews	101
Miss Edith M. Scoville	84
G. H. Pruden	83
Miss M. Howard	83
Miss T. C. Lissner	83
Miss Agnes Pettit	81
Miss Lillian Durkin	81
Miss Emma G. Kane	81
Miss E. Margenson	81
Miss Alice Cohen	81
Miss Alice Woodall	72
Miss Hattie McDonnell	72
Miss Lillian L. Langsam	72
Miss Mary Jackson	72
Miss M. Ray	72
Miss Lulu M. Steadman	72
Miss Lillian Durkin	72
Miss Schermer	72

MOST POPULAR BOYS.
Prizes—A \$10 Bicycle to each district.

W. J. Mason	1278
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the singing of the doxology by the audience. After the pronouncing of the benediction by Rev. Mr. Brown, the impressive "Coronation March" of Meyerbeer was rendered by Miss Hill. The memorial service officers were: Exalted Ruler I. Harrison Clay, Esq.; Treasurer W. W. Lafferty, Esq.; Leading Knight Dr. C. L. Thiel; Knight E. K. Taylor of Alameda; Secretary E. M. Bachevalier of Berkeley; and Inner Guard Harry Anderson.

JUDGE MELVIN'S ADDRESS.
Following is the address of Grand Exalted Ruler Melvin:

"Brother Elks: Today as the sun drives his shining car across the azure arch of the American sky, he has looked upon a multitude of earnest men engaged in a high and holy duty. Each individual member of that mighty host differs from his fellows in mind, in faith, in temperament, as one star differs from another star. There may be seen the high, the lowly, the strong, the weak, the pale-browed dreamer and the captain of industry, the churchman and the man who knows no temple save nature, finding

"Tongues in trees, books in the running brooks, Sermons in stones and good in every thing."

"And yet one common sentiment calls all of them about their flag-embellished altars, one holy faith unites, one heavenly hope inspires them. Today they are
One in faith and doctrine,
One in charity.
For they meet in the name of brotherly love, not to mourn but to remember; not to grieve but to glorify; not to question God's edicts but to say 'Thy will be done'; not in despair but in aspiration for immortality. In song and prayer and eulogy their thoughts and their affections are expressed in memory of their absent brothers. We form one of these goodly companies, yet we are but a part of one vast congregation. Our hymns are sung amid these wonderful hills that stand eternal wardens at the nation's gate of gold, but there is chorus grander than our senses apprehend, for from the workshops that through a thousand altars burn, from the same sweet songs, their soul-chorus blend with ours in perfect harmony, swelling with full-throated anthem to high heaven in strains as glorious as those primal strains sung together, and all the sons of God shouted for joy. Today, O Carthage, shout to the purple isles of the Pacific seas; California and Maine antiphonally chant, while from the southland and the swarming cities of the mid-continent the majestic song of brotherhood rise to sublime heights than those reached before, since day first dawned on earth."

AT ELEVENTH HOUR.
"We meet at this eleventh hour upon the dial of the year to pledge our love to our absent brothers. Within the mystic circle of our confraternity, we learn not only that all who bear the name of Elk are brothers, in the truest, highest sense, but that the duties and obligations of brotherhood are universal, and as we tenderly recall the absent who have crossed the vernal waters of the sunset sea, our sympathies and our affections are all-embracing. Yet it is natural and altogether meet that in this hour we pay a special tribute to those who are thought to those with whom we all sympathized and loved and laughed. The patriot adores his native land, yet his heart throbs most at thought of home; to womanhood each true man gives his reverence, but 'mother' is the holiest word he speaks; and so while love of all our brothers fills our hearts today, we raise our reverent eyes and read with never thrill upon our roll of honor, the names of our comrades with whom we marched shoulder to shoulder through clouds and sunshine, down the valleys and up the heights. And O, what flood of memories that golden roster releases! But speak our brothers' names and back they seem to come and by our bannered altar stand. We seem to

hear again the manly voice of Downey, the merry quips of Sloper and of Dean, and Vance's kindly greeting to 'my boys.' The nation's history could not be written without some of those names. Our guide and counselor, Mr. Felt, had donned the blue and had fought for home and country; Priest, that modest, kindly gentleman, once wore the shoulder straps of a famous corps, and jovial Edward Baker Jerome had stood amid the thunder of the guns by the side of his great kinsman on that fatal day at Balls Bluff when America lost her greatest orator and California her bravest soldier.

GLANCE DOWN LIST.
"A-down the list our glances run and we are thrilled to think of Ench's and Ghirardelli's deeds of sweet charity; again we seem to hear the manly tones of Max as he sings the songs of the Fatherland. And one I loved the best of all is there. His name I shall not speak, for as men judge he had done a grievous wrong; but God who can read the secrets of the soul and knows the ironed workings of a noble mind caught in the deadly grasp of a relentless malady—God alone shall judge. And shall not we, in the name of charity, say 'Peace to you, my brother.'
And so along the lengthening list we look, each name recalling precious hours of song and story, comradeship and joy. We weep not that they are gone, but we rejoice that they await us on the other shore; and as the coming year shall count new names upon that scroll, in tender grief but with faith sublime, may we, in paraphrase of the words penned by our great poet of the Sierras, exclaim:
'On yellow snow melts in the sea;
A sombre shroud sweeps silently
East Alcatraz toward Orient skies—
A mist is rising to the eyes—
Good-bye, dear friend, good night, good night.'
"How stately tall your ship, how vast. With night nailed to your leaning mast With mighty stars of hammered gold And moon-wrought cordage manifold! Good-bye, dear friend, good night, good night."

Reports of various petty thefts were received yesterday and today by the police. Investigations are being made by detectives, but clues to the identity of the thieves are slight.

Shanquet Bros. of 874 Broadway report that a burglar entered their store by a rear window, broke open the cash register and stole \$5. The burglary occurred between 1 and 6 o'clock this morning.

Tools were stolen yesterday from the home of W. H. Knox at 1714 Seventh street. Knox could give no clue as to the identity of the thief.

Harvey Beckwith, connected with the Sherman Construction company, has reported that a hand-car, valued at \$15, was taken from Adams' wharf yesterday.

A hungry thief visited the rear porch of the home of Mrs. J. B. Williams at 816 Chester street, Saturday night, and stole about \$2 worth of groceries.

Harold Darlington of 143 Athol avenue had his wheel stolen yesterday from in front of 1157 Seventh street. Wilfred Knapp of Seventh street was also a victim of a wheel thief, his bicycle being taken from Seventh and Washington streets.

A. B. Benson, residing at 478 Seventh street, reported to the police yesterday that thieves had entered his room while he was asleep Saturday night and stolen \$210 from the pocket of his trousers, which were hanging over the foot of the bed.

The room of C. Borberg, a recent arrival from Goldfield, was also entered by thieves, who forced open the door and stole a tuxedo suit valued at \$65. The door of the room was broken open with a "jimmy."

Mrs. A. F. Mengle, who conducts a store at 805 Washington street, reported that while her back was turned Saturday afternoon some thief entered the store and stole a buckskin bag containing \$150 from behind the counter. She believes the theft to have been committed by some one who knew the money was there.

Bicycles were stolen Saturday from Leonard Heffentz of 1212 Webster street, Joseph Ripple of 343 Boehmer street, Myrel E. Myrel of 403 Eighth street, and Charles Johnson of 970 Washington street.

Holiday Novelties AT THE LACE HOUSE

In line with our custom, we offer at this early date complete assortment of articles appropriate for Christmas Gifts. We believe that few other establishments offer so wide a variety of high class and correct novelties as now on sale at The Lace House. The following departments specially invite inspection:

Handkerchiefs
HAND-EMBROIDERED INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS
A variety of styles and qualities for women at 15c, 25c and 50c; for boys, 15c, 25c, 35c and 50c each, at 10c each.
EMBROIDERED HANDKERCHIEFS
In plain, striped and floral designs at 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50 to \$16.00 each. Swiss, French and Irish importations.
LACE-TRIMMED HANDKERCHIEFS
Choice lace-trimmed handkerchiefs in plain, striped and floral designs at 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 to \$2.50 each.
FRENCH AND SWISS HAND-EMBROIDERED HANDKERCHIEFS
In plain, striped and floral designs at 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 to \$2.50 each.
Free of charge with 24 letters. Fine handwork. We suggest sending in orders at once.
Popular-priced Chiffon Jabots, inexpensive lace neck pieces; embroidered linen neckwear.
Lace Fichus, French embroidered collars, Du Barry Scarfs, Feather Collars, Real Ostrich Bows, etc., etc.

Leather Goods
Purses, Bags, Traveling Satchels and Dress Goods Cases. At moderate prices we present the choice from a splendid range of exclusive leather goods novelties and every bag we guarantee.

Leather Belts and Jeweled Girdles

Real Laces
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First Race—5 furlongs; 2-year-olds, maidens.	111	Manitoba	102
126 Wool Sundance	115	1200 Fireball	110
126 Ray Bennett	112	127 Mary Eve	106
126 Anopus	112	(111) Romaine	106
126 Rose Cherry	112	93 Collector Jessup	112
126 Joe Harlan	107	Fifth Race—1 mile, selling; 3 years and up.	
126 F. Neugent	107	118 Duelt	109
126 Prince of Castle	112	128 Chalkis	102
9525 Adirondack	105	64 Serenity	109
126 Judge	105	119 Jack'ul	109
9521 Royal White	105	114 Avoralle	105
115 Sharp Boy	105	118 Dorado	109
40 Joe Goss	105	127 Potro Grande	104
40 Eleven Bells	100	125 Invader	108
(109) Claudine	109	120 Salable	109
9598 David Boland	105	Sixth Race—6 furlongs, purse, 3 years and up.	
Third Race—1 mile, selling; 2-year-olds and up.		130 Whippers	105
130 Cresceton	112	5894 Cerro Santa	100
127 Flo Manola	108	(103) E. M. Brattin	109
117 Little Joker	108	(91) Golden Rule	109
136 Liberté	108	9525 Adirondack	105
127 Tannahausen	108	126 Judge	105
110 Ray	108	9521 Royal White	105
128 Lone Wolf	109	115 Sharp Boy	105
9515 Captain Burnett	105	40 Joe Goss	105
109 Pickaway	109	40 Eleven Bells	100
Fourth Race—4 furlongs, Fleur de Lis Handicap, all ages, \$600.		(109) Claudine	109
(101) Princess Titania	108	9598 David Boland	105

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HOLIDAY PLANS AND PLEASURES ENGAGE THE MINDS OF OAKLAND SOCIETY PEOPLE

Card Parties Prominently Figure in Lively Calendar of This Week--Wedding and Club News--Gossip From Town and Country.

Mrs. Jenkin Bevan John will be the complimented guest at the card party to be given by Mrs. A. J. Snyder next Wednesday afternoon at her attractive home on Oakland avenue.

The guest list includes nearly one hundred friends, and the hostess will be assisted in receiving by Mrs. John, Mrs. Morse, mother of the guest of honor, and Mrs. J. W. Warner.

Five hundred is the game announced for the afternoon.

WICKSON-KELLY.

The marriage of Miss Edna Wickson and Willis F. Kelly was celebrated Saturday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Professor and Mrs. E. J. Wickson, of 2723 Bancroft way. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. George Eldridge, of St. John's Presbyterian church, San Francisco.

A spacious room on the third floor was decorated with palms of different varieties, and every available sort of greenery from feathery bamboo to heavy, glossy-leaved magnolia. The improvised altar of green was massed with white chrysanthemums, and lighted with white tapers that shone from tall brass candelabra.

Dr. Eldridge, Mr. Kelly and his best man, Walter Leimert, waited at the altar for the bride, which was preceded by the four ribbon-bearers, Wickham Havens, Harold Havens, Paul Havens and Traylor Bell.

Then, after the old-time custom of thirty years ago, which this wedding celebration chose for its model, the two ushers and two bridesmaids walked arm in arm. These were Miss Ida and Miss Gladys Wickson, Harmon and Guest Wickson. The Misses Wickson were gowned alike in daintily flowered organdies, blue on white, and were quaintly fashioned. They carried bouquets of bride's roses. Miss Katherine Wickson, becomingly attired in billowy white tulle, with an armful of the same exquisite white roses, directly preceded the bride, who entered with her father. Professor Wickson, on the evening of his own wedding, escorted from the altar another sweet-faced bride, whose costume was identically the same as that worn up the aisle last Saturday evening by his attractive daughter. Miss Wickson preferred the conventional ivory satin wedding gown of today's mode to express the sentiment that attached itself to the quaint trailing frock of the pale blue grosgrain silk in which her mother had repeated her marriage vows. She carried bride's roses.

Several hundred guests attended the reception and wedding supper. After a brief honeymoon trip Mr. and Mrs. Kelly will return to occupy a pretty home at 246 Terrace street, in Linda Vista.

FOR BRIDE-ELECT.

Miss Genevieve Isaacs, the pretty fiancée of Carl Schilling, was complimented guest at a surprise handkerchief shower planned by Miss Olga Dierks. Miss Grace Malm, Miss Camilla de Boom and Miss Emyle Duerling assisted at the reception. Among those present were Miss Genevieve Isaacs, Miss Elsa Schilling, Miss Grace Malm, Miss Camilla de Boom, Miss Emyle Duerling, Miss Stella Hesthal.



MRS. HOWARD HUNTINGTON, who is the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Adam Green and will remain during the holidays.

Miss Lela Coggins, Miss Valerie Tusk, Miss Manetti Lievre, Miss Florence Orr, Miss Frieda Stettin, Miss Sophie Wood, Miss Viva Heinusch, Miss Clara Mentzel, Miss Angela Coyle, Miss Marie Coyle, Miss Josephine Marks, Miss Mabel McNally, Miss Helen Gray, Miss Mary Sadler, Miss Ruth Sadler, Miss Marian Owens.

CLARK-RATHE.

The marriage of William Ernest Rathe and Miss Daisy Clark took place yesterday in Berkeley. The Rev. J. R. Krodell, pastor of the Park Congregational church, performed the ceremony.

Miss Nellie Reed, of Vallejo, was maid of honor, and C. C. Webb acted as best man. The ushers were R. L. Pond and B. H. Rush.

After a honeymoon to be spent in Pacific Grove, the couple will return to occupy the house which awaits them at 1835 Alcatraz avenue.

FRANKLIN-LANG.

The marriage is announced of Miss Carmen Clarice Franklin and Henry D. Lang, which took place Thanksgiving Day at Boulder Creek. The couple will reside at 1675 Twelfth street, in this city.

WRITERS' CLUB.

Jesse Dierbert entertained the members of the Writers' Club last week at his home on Myrtle street. Original manuscripts were submitted by Miss Charlotte Carty, Miss Laura McKnight, Miss Maude Lyons and A. J. McKnight. A supper rounded out the evening's pleasure. Among those present were: Miss Charlotte Carty, Miss Maude Lyons, Miss Julia Fraser, Mrs. Albert A. Smith, Mrs. J. E. Baker, Miss Edna

Kinard, Miss Irene O'Connor, Miss Eva Powell, Miss Helen Powell, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Compton, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Kinard, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dierbert, Arthur Dierbert, A. J. McKnight, Philip Alexander, Alexander Schmitz and the host.

OAKLAND CLUB.

The Oakland Club has sent out the following bulletin for December: WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5.

2 p. m.—Business meeting: reports of officers, committees and delegates to the Alameda District Federation meeting. Business of great importance will come up. A full attendance is desired.

2:30 p. m.—Program. Mrs. Martin Brigman, chairman. Vocal solos by Miss Elizabeth Jacques and Miss Emma Belle Zucker, accompanied by Miss Fern Frost, pupils of Luella Wagon Coplin.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 12. 2:30 p. m.—Xmas Day. Mrs. C. S. Chamberlain, chairman.

No further meetings will be held this month. The Traveler's Section, under Mrs. L. P. Crane, will meet Tuesday, December 4, at half-past two.

FAREWELL PARTY.

The Misses Alberta and Sybil Jones, who are soon to make their home in Pasadena, were entertained at the home of Miss Emmabelle Zucker, where the following guests were assembled to bid them farewell:

Mrs. Ada Henry Van Pelt, Dr. Fred Davis, Miss Alma Pettis, Mrs. Louise Ritter, Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Black from Manila, Benjamin Smith, Miss Christina Van Voorhees, Rose, Miss Mary Viola Martin, Will Leimert, Charles R. Dutton, Miss Pluma Dutton, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Fox,



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OPENS WEEK'S ENGAGEMENT

"The American Girl" a Popular Priced Comedy, Will Show at Macdonough.

Lovers of popular-priced comedy will have a treat at the Macdonough tonight when the well-known Elletford Company opens a week's engagement with matinees Saturday and Sunday. The offering is a pretty modern comedy-drama, "The American Girl," a melange of comedy, sentiment and sensation. The play was one of the big successes in the east last year, and it has never been seen on the coast. All of the old favorites of the summer's stock, Meta Chamberlain, Mattie Lloyd Luce, Alpha Gertrude Clark, Anna Dodge, Tru Boardman, Clarence Ferguson, George Hernandez, William Marlon, Lloyd Edwards, William Duval and Joseph Roberts are in the cast and the great juvenile favorites, the Osborn children, will introduce a new specialty between acts, and appear in two clever parts that gives them both a chance to do good work.

TARIFF REDUCED TO SAVE ISLAND

SYDNEY, N. S., Dec. 3.—Alarmed by the rapid decrease in the population of St. Pierre, Miquelon, the French government has reduced the customs tariff for the island in order to stimulate business. For the past two months the population of Miquelon, the last remaining possession of France in America, has been steadily increasing by emigration to the Canadian West and Northwest. The reason for the abandonment of the island is the poor condition of the fisheries for the past few years.

DECIDED AGAINST THE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The case of the Mississippi Commission vs. the Illinois Central Railroad, involving the rights of the State to compel through trains to stop at small stations, was decided by the Supreme Court of the United States today against the commission.

AGITATOR MUST SERVE SENTENCE

MANILA, Dec. 3.—The Supreme Court has denied the application of a writ of error in the case of Dominador Gomez and remanded it to the lower court for execution of sentence. The agitator will be sent to Bilibid prison tomorrow. He was convicted for having slandered Governor Calleja.

PERSONAL.

C. H. Kuucks and Mrs. Kuucks have returned from a five months' visit to Germany and other portions of the continent. They spent much of their time in Germany, the birthplace of Mr. Kuucks. They also visited the principal Eastern cities, spending several weeks in St. Louis, where the gentleman was formerly in business. They had an enjoyable time and return home in good health.

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TO REPRESENT OAKLAND

E. C. Sessions Leaves for New York to Attend River and Harbor Congress.

E. C. Sessions Jr. left for New York last Saturday to represent the Oakland Chamber of Commerce at the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, which will be held in New York December 6 and 7. Sessions will leave for Washington so as to be present during the meetings of the rivers and harbors committees of the Senate and House of Representatives. While there he will assist Senator Perkins and Representative Knowland in the furtherance of plans for the improvement of Oakland harbor by the United States government.

COURTMARTIAL FOR A BRUTAL OFFICER

PORTSMOUTH, Eng., Dec. 3.—The trial by court-martial of Lieutenant Colliard, R. N., charged with inflicting unusual punishment and using abusive language to a stoker in 1905, and with improper use of the order "on the knee," November 4th last, which caused a mutinous outbreak among stokers, began here today.

PRINCESS ATTACKED BY ROBBER BAND

TIFLIS, Trans-Caucasia, Dec. 3.—A band of twelve robbers yesterday attacked the estate of Princess Anabova, plundering her residence and attacking the Princess. They were captured later and will be tried today by drum-head court-martial.

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JAPS COME FROM MEXICO

Three Hundred Come Into the United States—Say They Were Victimized.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Dec. 3.—Three hundred Japanese have entered the United States from Mexico through Eagle Pass since November 1. They are leaving Mexico because of ill-treatment which they received at the hands of Mexican employers. The Japanese complain they were lured into Mexico with promises of good pay and pleasant work on farms. So inviting were the promises that Japanese immigration societies added the work of securing Japanese for Mexican agricultural work. On arriving in Mexico, however, the Japanese declare, they are put to work in coal mines on little wages and food, and are watched by guards, making a condition little better than servitude. To this is due the great exodus of the Orientals from the Mexican republic.

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DELUGED WITH OFFERS TO WED SHE WARNS

Typewriter - Heiress Gives Warning to Country Maidens to Beware of Suitors.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 3.—Overwhelmed by appeals for help, proposals of marriage, meddlesome advice and impertinent congratulations, Miss Edwena Lawrence, the girl stenographer, who recently fell heir to a fortune of \$250,000 through the will of a rich uncle, is lying ill in a private sanitarium in Atlantic City.

Letters selected at random from the great pile received show a wide variety of style. Some are curt and business-like in their propositions. Others moon through pages of maudlin sentiment. One Philadelphia grocer takes twenty pages to tell about the beauties of the sunset, and closes with a request for Miss Lawrence's picture.

In an article Miss Lawrence makes the first authoritative statement since her uncle's will was published. She is moved to brave the distasteful publicity only by her interest in her sisters-workers, and those country girls who brave the dangers of business life in a city. She tells of her matrimonial correspondents as a warning to the unsophisticated, and because, being ill and weary, she hopes that the futility of such correspondence will become plain, and she will be allowed to rest in the seclusion of her retreat. Here is her own statement of the situation:

BY MISS EDWENA LAWRENCE.

In a local paper, April 23 and May 2, there appeared two articles. I wrote on the experience of a girl stenographer looking for work. It was a tale of actual experience, written in the vain hope that I might interest the same woman in the condition that surrounded the office woman.

Since then a lonely old man, burdened with riches, roaming the world to find sincere appreciation of himself instead of adoration for his money, died with his wish unsatisfied, leaving in his will part of the cause of his unhappiness to me. The newspapers got hold of this fact, and the space-writers said anything they pleased concerning it.

Hundreds of letters came to me since, and it is about 426 of them that I wish to speak. They are written by girls who wish to learn stenography. I make an earnest appeal to every girl who has written me that she read the articles I have referred to. The letters from these girls show that they have absolutely no conception of the knowledge a stenographer should possess. In only twenty-two of the letters are the words correctly spelled and none of them is grammatical. The last to reach me is the following which is typical:

Miss Lawrence

Dear Friend:

Read in the paper that you was a Stenography, and that you was an heir to an large fortune from your Uncle, and will write to tell you that I am a girl 17 years old and would also like to learn Steno. as I am raven crazy to learn it, but have no money know I'm asking you to help me even if it's only a little as I spoke to the principle and he said that I could earn part of it by working in his office & keep tolets, cloak rooms and sweep the floor clean morning and evening nois, so I need only \$50.00, but if you are willingly to sent more or less I will be gladly to accept either as I'm a very poor girl and all the girls have a wide chance around here but I have to stand back & by God's word would be glad to hear soon from you even if you will help me or not and be glad to pay it back, so please do give me a fitting the best

BLIND GRIPPLE WEDS A FAITHFUL GIRL

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 3.—Woman's constancy is exemplified in the romance of a couple now stopping at the Plankinton House while on a wedding tour. They are Mr. and Mrs. George E. Nelson, of Ishpeming, Mich. Mrs. Nelson was the daughter of a wealthy resident of Ishpeming, and Nelson was a mining superintendent rapidly climbing the ladder of prosperity when they became engaged. One day Nelson was handling a box of dynamite caps, when they exploded, tore off both hands and destroyed his eyesight. His fiancée nursed him back to health, and then insisted on carrying out their engagement of marriage, although the wounded man protested against such an unequal contract.

that you think will suit you best for I always was fond of learning but have no chance for what I'm crazy to learn so I will try and hope you'll ans. to by mail.

A True friend
"Miss ———"

GIRLS DECEIVED BY FALSE GLITTER.

The various reasons given in these letters for wanting to learn stenography are disappointing, even humiliating, to one who has probably placed too high a value on the purity and lovable simplicity of the country girl's character. They are the love of pretty clothes, discontent with home life, dislike for domesticity, love of luxury, wish for city beaux, desire to have opportunities to meet rich employers who might marry them, and a craving for excitement, of which the theater forms a conspicuous part.

The girl who is forced into offices and department stores in the struggle for a livelihood has my heartfelt sympathy; but I have a far different feeling for the girl who voluntarily leaves a comfortable home for such surroundings. I prefer to believe that she is unconscious of the evils that may await her there—evils that cannot well be exaggerated. My former appeal was made to the home woman, this appeal I make to you who have written me, as I would have you do unto me were the conditions reversed.

I would have you question your motives well and examine your self-mastery and will power well before you thrust yourself where every temptation will assail you. A girl's home is, or should be, her natural protector. Alone in a great city you will have no protector but that which comes from strength of character and ability to do fearlessly and decisively with questions of right and wrong. You must have utmost reverence for "the moral law within" you.

No matter how good and pure and noble you are, sooner or later there will come to you a time when everything you seemingly crave will be weighed in the balance with the purity of your womanhood. Have you the courage to face destitution, and to scorn your temple in your rage, when he threatens to have you watched, and give any future employer you may apply to such a recommendation that will prevent you from getting the position?

Around you will be countless examples of men and women living abnormal lives who receive every defence. You may enter your church and find the minister upon whose words you have relied for guidance smiling wistfully as he chats with some wealthy socializer over the contemplation of whose misdeeds you may have spent a sleepless night.

PROPOSALS OF MARRIAGE.

Regarding your belief that in the city you will have more desirable offers of marriage—of this I know nothing. I have never exchanged confidences with girls regarding the number of sincere offers of marriage they have had. But I do know that I have received since seven offers of marriage by letter since November 10, from men who know nothing about me. A curious thing about these men is that they possess the qualifications you have mentioned in your letters; they are all "handsome" or "good looking," "good dressing," "stylish," "make a good appearance," are "gentlemen," "of good family," or the "first family in their State." The natural supposition would be that men with such effrontery are street loafers, but they are not. They are ministers, physicians, petty merchants, musicians, bank clerks, detectives, lawyers, stenographers, inventors, clubmen, a German nobleman and a farmer.

Isn't the lesson forcible enough! The story that I have already received the legacy left me is a reporter's tale, written at a time when I was too ill to see any one had I been so inclined.

I need no advice from exalted individuals who write and tell me where to send my contributions so that my "benevolence" will be duly acknowledged in their report, which is read by

Photograph of Stewart M. Brice and his bride. She was his sweetheart in boyhood, but is his bride at last, after an interval of fifteen years separation, during which she was married and divorced. He is the son of the late U. S. Senator Calvin S. Brice. His bride was Mrs. Catherine Mount although when he first met her she was Miss Markie, daughter of a wealthy merchant of Indianapolis. A lovers' quarrel is said to have been the cause of their estrangement.



WINS \$200,000 IN LOTTERY

Wheel of Fortune Brings Streak of Good Luck to Two Families.

LONDON, Dec. 3.—The wheel of fortune has been kind to two English people. Mrs. Savage, a Southern lady, has won a prize of \$200,000 in a Calcutta lottery, and Frank Wellsman, a Newmarket painter and decorator, has won a \$2500 motor car in a Lockerbie bazaar raffle.

On being advised by a friend in India of the Calcutta lottery, Mrs. Savage purchased \$40 worth of tickets, and a few days later was offered \$2300 for them. Her husband made her a similar offer if she would give him \$25,000 in the event of her winning a substantial prize. To this she agreed, and a formal contract was drawn up.

Mrs. Savage and her husband were overjoyed some time afterward to learn that they were entitled to a prize of \$200,000.

Frank Wellsman attributes his luck in winning a \$2500 Deasy motor car at the Lockerbie Town Hall bazaar, opened last week by Princess Louise, to a black cat, which he regards as many prominent persons. "I have known destitution myself, and yet found others of the same clay as I in more desperate need."

It has been the dream of my life to have a shelter for the women who earn their bread and who are made unfit for work through the tyranny of physical drudgery in unsanitary surroundings, and for her who values her purity of womanhood above even life itself, a place for her to come to when no other door is open to her.

SAVES LIVES OF INFANTS

English Mayor Inaugurates Plan of Prize Giving for Babies.

LONDON, Dec. 3.—M. Broadbent, in retiring from the mayoralty of Huddersfield yesterday, after a two years' tenure of office, gave a report of his experiment for the reduction of infantile mortality.

When he assumed office in 1904 he promised to give to every child which was born in the district of Longwood between November 9, 1904, and November 9, 1905, \$5 on its first birthday.

The object of the experiment, he said, was to see if by constant watchfulness on the part of a small band of voluntary women workers, always ready to help the mothers, any appreciable reduction could be effected in the infantile mortality rate of Longwood.

His present was never intended as a stimulus to maternal affection or care, but he wanted to know where children were born in order that advice and help might be given to the mothers.

The Huddersfield rate of infantile mortality had averaged 139 per thousand for ten years, and in Longwood itself the average for the same period was 122. Throughout the two years the experiment had been tried there had been serious epidemics of whooping cough and measles to contend against, and last summer was one of the most deadly on record.

Mr. Broadbent said that 112 babies were born in the district, and of that number 107 had received the gift. Four had died, and one had been removed from the district, and he did not know whether the child still lived; but as the gift had not been claimed, he concluded that it was dead.

If he counted only the four deaths, the mortality percentage was thirty-five per thousand; and, if he counted the missing baby as dead, the figure was forty-four. Thus it would be seen that the infantile death rate during the experiment was reduced to substantially less than one-half the average rate.

For nearly twelve months—from October 9, 1905, to October 9, 1906—not one of the babies on his list died under a year old. The babies belonged to all classes, and some lived in places hardly better than slums. The lady visitors had not found their visits to the mothers in any way resented.

WOMEN CLERKS GET A RECESS FOR GOSSIP

TAX COLLECTOR ALLOWS GIRLS FIVE-MINUTE PERIOD

Official Thinks System Will Stop Talk in Work Hours.

—SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Dec. 3.—A five-minute recess twice a day is one of the features of the new administration of the Tax Collector's office in this city, and its purpose is to prevent the young women clerks from wasting the city's time in gossip. The system has been introduced by the newly elected tax collector, Charles Frazer.

For five minutes in the morning and for five minutes in the afternoon the young women may talk about every subject under the sun, but they must talk fast, for at the end of that time a bell sounds and a hush falls on the room, broken only by such commonplace as, "Will you please hand me the typewriter eraser?" or "You'll find it on page 34 in the ledger."

Business conversation only is allowed when the recess is over, and even then the clerks are asked to think before they speak, that they may not ask unnecessary questions.

Although most of the clerks in the office have worked together for several years, they are requested to address each other only by their last names during business hours, as it is thought this practice will lend dignity to the office.

In the other offices in the municipal building conversation is allowed to flow on free and unrestrained, but Tax Collector Frazer thinks his system will be justified by the extra labor which he will get out of his clerks.

City clerkships have always been extremely popular in Springfield, but now a young woman shies from taking the civil service examination until she can assure herself that she is not to labor in the hushed and silent Tax Collector's office.

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Mme. Anisie Louisa de Massy, as the woman accused of murdering Merchant Simon, prefers to call herself, is declared by her friends to be a French noblewoman who came to this country to trace the slayer of her husband who she believes, was poisoned. She is declared to be a member of the Vernon family, well known in the French provinces.



DIVORCED BY DOWIEISM EACH MARRIES AGAIN

13 Proves to Be a Hoodoo to Couple, Who Quarreled Over the Prophet.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 3.—Mr. and Mrs. August Lemmert, whose differences on account of Dowieism occupied the local courts for two years, and who were finally divorced, have married again. Mrs. Lemmert to Gustav A. Wagner, and Mr. Lemmert to Miss S. Elizabeth Mix.

The decision of the Court of Appeals, which resulted in the awarding of a decree of divorce to Mr. Lemmert, was handed down February 13th, and September 4th, at Long Lake, Hamilton county, New York. Mr. Lemmert was married to Miss Mix. An advertisement yesterday announced the marriage in Philadelphia on November 15th, of Mrs. Lemmert and Mr. Wagner.

The Lemmert divorce case is almost as famous as the Jarndyce vs. Jarndyce suit related by Dickens. Mr. Lemmert is a Jeweler. Mrs. Lemmert became a follower of Dowie and her husband disapproving of the Zion City prophet, differences began. The pair separated in April, 1900, and in July, 1904, Mr. Lemmert started suit for divorce.

A striking feature of the agitation was the fact that nearly every event connected with it was either on the 13th of the month or on Friday. Sometimes the two lucky dates were combined, as, for example, the date of the separation of the pair, which was on Friday, April 13th.

LEFT BABY IN CHURCH

PARIS, Dec. 3.—A strange discovery was made yesterday by a woman in the Church of Notre Dame des Victoires.

"Abandoned by my child's father, it is impossible for me to bring up the little one as I would wish. Please see that she is baptized Simone Arlette, born in Paris, October 21, 1906. Care for her well, love her. God will reward you."

The mother's wish was carried out instantly, the cure, who was in the church, performing the baptismal ceremony. The little girl was then sent to the founding hospital, where she will remain unless her relatives come to claim her.

Why don't you try Carter's Little Liver Pills? They are a positive cure for sick headache, and all the ills produced by disordered liver. Only one pill a dose.

What is it to coin a word? Schilling's Best coined money-back.

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NEWS FROM BERKELEY AND CITY OF ALAMEDA

FIRST VICTIM
OF THE SEASON

Charles Sisenvine Is Accidentally
Shot While Taking His
Gun Out of Boat.

ALAMEDA, Dec. 2.—Charles Sisenvine is the first victim of the duck season to be killed in this city. Yesterday the young man was accidentally killed while taking his shot gun out of a boat, he had hired at High street, at Seal Creek Point, which is on the east shore of San Leandro bay.

Sisenvine, who is but seventeen years of age, left his home at 187 Balford street in San Francisco yesterday morning to hunt ducks in the sloughs which abound in San Leandro bay. He came to Alameda about 9 o'clock and hired a boat from Charles Radditz. That was the last seen of him alive. About 10 o'clock his lifeless body was found on the shore, partly submerged by a young man. From the position of the body and the gun the youth evidently was taking his gun from the boat, barrel first, when it exploded.

In some way the trigger caught and the charge of bird shot plowed through his shoulder and into his neck. The right shoulder was torn away entirely and the neck and face were dreadfully cut by the shot. Death must have been instantaneous.

Letters in the pocket of the young man led to his identity. A number of letters were found addressed to him at his home and his brother was communicated with and came over to identify the body.

The brother stated that the young man had been in Alameda when he was left home and that there had been a party at the residence last night and the two had planned the features of the entertainment.

The body is now at the morgue in this city and there will be an inquest held during the week.

SAN FRANCISCO
INTERESTED

Chamber of Commerce of Sister
City Petitions for Liberal
Appropriation.

Upon the broad plan that the improvements of Oakland harbor, asked by the local Chamber of Commerce, "are most urgent at this time and necessary for the relief of the congested condition of the San Francisco harbor from the Chamber of Commerce of San Francisco and to the River and Harbors committee at Washington to secure a liberal appropriation. This action was taken at a special meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Chamber of Commerce of San Francisco at which resolutions were passed endorsing the resolutions passed by the local Chamber of Commerce, in which resolutions by the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce the above language was used. That the commercial organizations in San Francisco are greatly interested in the proposed improvements of Oakland harbor is shown by the endorsements of the resolutions issued by the Oakland Chamber of Commerce by all the commercial organizations in San Francisco. Several of the San Francisco organizations, including the Chamber of Commerce have sent telegrams to the members of the River and Harbors committee and to each representative in Congress from this state. The following is a copy of a telegram which is self-explanatory and shows the kindly feeling existing between the commercial organizations in San Francisco and those in Oakland.

Hon. Theodore Burton, Chairman
River and Harbors Committee,
Washington, D. C.:

Chamber of Commerce of San Francisco
heavily endorses the plan recommended by Oakland Chamber of Commerce for improvement of Oakland harbor and respectfully urges your committee to report favorably thereon. Full documents forwarded by mail.

(Signed)
WILLIAM H. MARSTON, President.
C. W. BURKS, Secretary.

Stomach Sufferers
Squander Millions

IN SEARCH OF RELIEF.

The world is full of disordered stomachs and 90 per cent of the population spent upon physicians and drugs goes in an attempt to cure the stomach.

People are made to believe that in order to gain health they must doctor their stomachs with cathartics. So the doctor gets his fee for the cathartic treatment; and the druggist for the physic until the savings of a life time are exhausted and yet no cure.

Let's be reasonable.

The sick stomach is in every case the result of overeating, hurried mastication and improper choice of foods. The mucous lining all the way down the food tract loses its sensitiveness, and when food is forced down the muscles fail to respond. They do not churn the food as they should. The glands no longer give out gastric juice to dissolve the food and render it capable of assimilation. The man has become a dyspeptic.

There is one sure way and only one to bring positive relief. Put into that stomach of yours the very elements that it lacks to get that food into liquid form. It takes pepsin, diastase, chymase and other ferments to accomplish this. The healthy stomach contains these elements. The dyspeptic stomach lacks part or all of them. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is made up of just what the dyspeptic stomach lacks—nature's digestive ferments.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are not a medicine, not a drug, not a cathartic. They do not cure anybody of anything, but Dyspepsia and indigestion and such ailments as arise from poorly digested food.

While they digest the food the stomach recovers. The mucous membrane is coming out of its stupor, the gastric juice is coming to the surface, the muscles are regaining their power. Every organ of the body takes on new life, the skin gains color, and the eyes are no longer tinged with yellow. You live.

Why doctor and why drug yourself? Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will take care of your food while Nature cures you.

Try a box at your druggists, 50 cents. Or, if you prefer a free trial package before buying send your name and address today. F. A. Stuart, Co., 48 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

OPENS FRENCH RESTAURANT
ON THE WATER WAGON PLANHENDERSON
LAUNCHES OUT

He Will Run Table d'hôte Resort
Minus the Usually Dis-
tinguishing Features.

BERKELEY, Dec. 2.—After dropping out of sight for a couple of months Bill, the Dog Man, is once more in business in the college town. When "Bill" abandoned, some weeks ago, the all-night lunch counter on Center street where newspaper men and college students were wont to forget their names, he had seen the last of the genial manufacturer of "dog sandwiches." There were rumors which were not denied by "Bill" himself that he was about to shake the dust of Berkeley from his feet and become the proprietor of an all-night lunch stand in Denver, Colo. But the developments of Saturday and today have "shown the rogues they lied," for now William Henderson, as he must be called hereafter, has become the proprietor of the first "French" restaurant in Berkeley. A temperance French restaurant, mind you. No intoxicating drinks for William Henderson is a temperance man.

Every man or care to know what he did before he came to Berkeley, but since he came to Berkeley Town, the "dog-man" has made history. His first appearance was as cook in a restaurant on Dwight way, some six or seven years ago. Some time after, however, there came a full in the agitation against the Chinese cook in Berkeley, and "Bill" was superseded by another "cook," as Henderson himself recently expressed it. Nothing daunted, "Bill" invested his few months' wages in a lunch wagon with two seats and after securing a permit from the Town Trustees, located at the corner of Center street and Shattuck avenue, a few college students coming along at an early hour in the morning would stand in line behind the two chairs in order to get a "snake," a "dog," and a cup of "mud." He was even deemed "worth" being caricatured in the Blue and Gold, the college annual, and in the Pelican, the weekly funny paper. "Bill" always bet heavily, despite the protests of his wife, on the California side at all intercollegiate athletic contests. At all the amateur theatricals and athletic contests given by the college students, "Bill" was sure to be seated in the front row.

As "Bill" became more prosperous, he enlarged his business from time to time. The lunch wagon was replaced by a half dozen lunch wagons in San Francisco, and they have held their own ever since. He has now appeared in an entirely new role, that of a French restaurant.

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SPORTS EDITED BY EDDIE SMITH SPORTS

SAN JOSE WINS
CLOSE BALL
GAMESTOCKTON FALLS BEFORE
BUNCH OF ALL-STAR
PLAYERS.Fourth Match in Series for Bush
League Cham-
pionship.

SAN JOSE, Dec. 3.—Danny Shay's team nosed out the aggregation of stars playing under the name of San Jose at Cycles' Park Sunday. Score, 6 to 5. The game was the fourth of the series for a purse of \$1000 and the championship of the "bush" league.

Each team has won two games, and the deciding contest will be played next Sunday. Los Angeles has bid for the game, and it is possible that both aggregations of ballplayers will journey south to decide the championship. The largest crowd of the season was at hand prepared to give the locals a magnificent ovation if the tide of victory turned toward them.

Stricklett, the Brooklyn twirler, pitched for the San Jose team, but failed to display his hitherto invincible spunk. Liefeld of Pittsburgh had it on the man from Brooklyn, and in the latter part of the contest had the locals just where he wanted them.

Stockton scored two runs in the first inning, two more in the fourth and clinched the game with two more runs in the eighth.

San Jose opened with three, Chase added a home run in the third, and one more was added in the fourth. Umpire Perrine's bat alongside the left field foul line, which Hildebrand just managed to lay a finger on, was a fair ball, practically won the day for the visitors. The ball hit in foul territory, but the umpire decided that the fielder was running in fair ground when he reached out and touched the sphere, and for that reason called the ball fair. The following is the score:

San Jose	AR	R	H	PO	A	E
Shay, P.	1	0	1	0	0	0
McGowan, C.	1	0	1	0	0	0
Chase, 1b	1	2	18	1	0	1
Brashers, ss	0	1	2	3	0	0
Irwin, 2b	0	1	2	3	0	0
Williams, 3b	0	1	2	3	0	0
Wolters, 4b	0	1	0	0	0	0
Stricklett, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Graham, 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stricklett, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arelanes, 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	22	5	8	27	14	3

★Arelanes batted for Stricklett in ninth inning.

Stockton	AR	R	H	PO	A	E
Shay, P.	1	1	5	2	1	0
McGowan, C.	1	0	2	3	0	0
Kruger, 1b	0	2	2	3	0	0
Mitchell, 2b	0	2	2	3	0	0
Shelkman, 3b	0	1	0	1	0	0
Wolters, 4b	0	1	0	0	0	0
Graham, 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stricklett, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Douglas, 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Leisfield, 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	22	5	5	27	16	2

Bush League	AR	R	H	PO	A	E
San Jose	3	0	1	0	0	0
Stockton	2	0	0	0	0	0
Base Hits	2	0	0	0	0	0

SUMMARY.
Home run—Chase. Three-base hit—Mitchell. Two-base hit—Williams. Sacrifice hits—Hildebrand, Chase, Brashers, Irwin, Graham. Stolen bases—Stricklett, 3. Left on base—San Jose 2, Stockton 4. Bases on balls—Off Stricklett 2, off Liefeld 5. Wild pitches—Stricklett 3. Time of game—1 hour and 55 minutes. Umpire—Perrine. Score—R. D. Anderson.

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MY RECORD

17th—Corrigan	25-1	Won
19th—M. M. Bowditch	10-1	Won
20th—Pettit Duce	100-1	Second
21st—Inflammable	8-1	Won
22d—Rolia	15-1	Won
23d—Judge	2-1	Won
24th—Ramus	2-1	Won
26th—M. Dagher	100-1	Lost
27th—Sir Edward	3-2	Won
28th—Tanya	15-1	Won
29th—Corrigan	5-1	Third
30th—Messa	1-1	Won

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KELLY BARRED
FROM BIG
LEAGUE

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Michael J. Kelly, manager of the Minneapolis team of the American baseball Association, was today found guilty of having knowledge of the filing of false affidavits relating to a charge of bribing an umpire in a professional game at Minneapolis last July, and has been forever barred from any participation whatever in affairs of the American Association.

This action was the result of a five hours' conference here between members of the board of directors and managers of the various teams of the American Association. The charge against Kelly implicated Maurice E. Owens, who was accused of having rendered unfair decisions in the game in question, that between the teams of Minneapolis and Columbus.

Directors here in August exonerated Owens and both Owens and Kelly, who had been suspended pending investigation, were reinstated. Later further charges were lodged against Kelly, of having filed and published false affidavits against Owens. Kelly was found guilty on August 22, and the matter was taken before the National Baseball Commission at Cincinnati, which body declared that it had no jurisdiction. The case was taken up today by the directors of the American Association for final action.

KNAPP HOLDS SADDLE
HONORS AT EMERYVILLE

Hard Pressed by Graham, Who Landed Six Out of Fourteen Mounts Last Week.

While Knapp still heads the list of winning jockeys at Emeryville, the riding honors of the past week were carried off by Frank Graham, who landed six winners out of fourteen mounts. Graham is pressing Knapp close for first place and has the highest percentage of any of the boys who have had any considerable number of mounts since the opening of the season.

Knapp, Williams, McIntyre and Brown each rode four winners during the week, while Hunter, Lawrence, Robinson and Sullivan each landed two. The other boys who ran a race were Sandy, Hildebrand, Kirschbaum, Brunsell, Dugan and Earnshaw. McIntyre, Knapp, Williams, Graham, Brown and Sandy all landed more than half of their mounts inside the money.

The standing of the jockeys who have ridden a winner to date is as follows:

JOCKEY.	Wins.	Placed.	Shows.	Percentage.
Knapp	12	8	10	29
Graham	6	4	14	29
J. Williams	4	4	14	21
A. Brown	4	4	14	21
E. J. McInnis	4	4	14	21
W. Hunter	2	2	14	14
Michael	2	2	14	14
J. Lawrence	2	2	14	12
T. Sullivan	2	2	14	12
Farabee	1	1	14	7
Brunsell	1	1	14	7
Sandy	1	1	14	7
R. Davis	1	1	14	7
C. Ross	1	1	14	7
W. Ziegen	1	1	14	7
H. Hildebrand	1	1	14	7
W. J. McInnis	1	1	14	7
Flannery	1	1	14	7
M. Burton	1	1	14	7
J. Kelly	1	1	14	7
W. Smith	1	1	14	7

Evil Effect of the Graft Cry.

Rev. E. R. Dille cannot be charged with sympathy with graft or a desire to shield grafters, hence what he says of the damage done to the reputation of San Francisco and California by the wildly exaggerated reports regarding conditions in San Francisco sent east by sensational correspondents and printed in the local press must be accepted as an unvarnished and unbiased statement of the facts. The stories of graft have done the State grave material injury and are retarding the rebuilding of San Francisco. Dr. Dille, it will be remembered, made a tour with Bishop Hamilton, of the Methodist Episcopal diocese, to raise funds for the rehabilitation of the destroyed and damaged Methodist churches. While he found the brethren of his faith, generally speaking, sympathetic and disposed to assist the church out here, the stories which preceded him everywhere made his mission difficult and not altogether satisfactory. But it is best, perhaps, to detail his experience in his own words:

"We asked for half a million, for we had lost \$750,000 in property, thirty-five churches were crippled, and 85 per cent of our members had lost everything. After making the best fight we could for donations and appropriations, we secured promises of probably half that amount. This we shall have to be contented with, for our cause is now an old story and it will be difficult to keep up interest in us much longer.

"Reports that there had been graft in the relief work have been sent widespread throughout the East and have disgusted the people. I told everybody I met that the relief committee was formed of men beyond reproach, and that the only losses were those through the careless transmission of coin. Some might have been lost through mismanagement, but not one cent was embezzled. I must confess that the graft charges have hurt us badly. I found this so when I went to the churches with an appeal for aid."

This is testimony that cannot be dismissed with a wave of the hand. It is direct and positive, and comes from a source that cannot be questioned. It carries an obvious lesson, deserving thoughtful attention. What is going on in San Francisco is analogous to burning the barn down to get rid of a few rats. Confidence in the community as a whole is being destroyed by a continued clamor that spares nothing and often descends to mere din in the effort to convict men before they are tried or convincing proof of their guilt offered. In trying to show that the whole civil administration of San Francisco is corrupt and predatory, the community has been set by the ears and tarred over with evil repute. Everything has become involved in confusion and everybody involved in turmoil. It has been given out to the world that relief funds have been stolen outright by city officials, and that the relief work is permeated with graft. The picture held up to the view of the outsider is at once disgusting and disheartening.

Now it has not been shown that a single dollar of the relief fund has been stolen by any official. There have been trifling peculations, it is true, but the guilty persons were minor subordinates of the relief committee, and the aggregate of their grafting is surprisingly small under the circumstances. In the haste of organizing such a great work, it was unavoidable that a few dishonest persons should get temporary employment. That they were so few in number is a tribute to the care exercised by the men at the head of the relief committee instead of a reproach to them. There were mistakes, to be sure, but they were blunders incidental to relief work of this character and are to be ascribed to peculiar conditions rather than mismanagement or lack of intelligent interest. Furthermore, the mistakes were largely due to efforts to prevent fraud and speculation, the chief criticism to which the committee is subject is on the score of misdirected economy and philanthropy, not on the score of intentional wrong-doing.

But the readiness to blame and condemn, the indiscriminate publicity given to slanderous reports, and the proneness to magnify and give the color of evil intent to trifles are responsible for a vast deal of mischief. The papers have tried to outdo each other in showing something or somebody up. The howls of disappointed grafters have been paraded as virtuous outcries against graft—hoboes, loafers and the driftwood of society have been permitted to declaim against the honesty of the committee and the officials and create the impression that the fire sufferers are being systematically robbed to fill the pockets of men in authority. By printing the unsupported testimony of every tramp and vagabond with a grievance, the newspapers have blackened the fair fame of San Francisco abroad—created the impression that the city is a rotten community governed by thieves and miscreants.

How Wealth Brings Fame.

John D. Rockefeller ate mince pie on Thanksgiving Day. So important an event was not permitted to escape the attention of an alert and intelligent press. Columns upon columns of valuable space have been devoted to telling the common people how the Standard Oil magnate regaled himself on mince pie, what his sensations were and how his digestion was affected by the gastronomic feat. All of which proves that a free and untrammelled press is the bulwark of liberty and the beacon of enlightenment.

It also proves how easy it is for the over-rich to achieve fame. Millions of Americans and a few barbarians from other lands ate mince pie on Thanksgiving Day, but not one of them was specially noticed by the vigilant newspapers. Even J. Pierpont Morgan, August Belmont, Thomas W. Lawson, Ben Tiltman, Dowie, Theodore Roosevelt and Abe Ruef were not asked whether or not they ate mince pie. Not a newspaper sent reporters around to feel their pulses, look at their tongues, inquire after their general health and ask them to state their opinion of mince pie and the sensation imparted to their palates and digestive organs by devouring it.

But with Mr. Rockefeller it is different. He is reputed to be worth a billion of dollars, and hence is an object of popular solicitude. He is under indictment, it is true, but so is Abe Ruef, so the public interest in the kind of pie he eats is not to be ascribed to the findings of a grand jury. It is his wealth that centers upon him the eager eyes of a great nation, palpitating with gentle solicitude for his appetite and physical well-being. Some men would have to eat a whale or an elephant to make them as famous as Rockefeller has made himself by eating a slice of mince pie. No greater testimonial to the power of wealth could be presented. It is proof that dollars not deeds hold the highest place in the estimation of the American press if not the American public.

Perhaps there were some who could not eat mince pie because it disagrees with them, and some others who did not eat it on Thanksgiving Day because they lacked the pie and the price, but for all such there is comfort and consolation. They can enjoy themselves by reading about Rockefeller eating mince pie and the pleasing sensations that it gave him, according to his description. "This is the first time in years I have been able to eat mince pie," says Mr. Rockefeller, delightedly. It will be insolent and ungrateful for anybody to complain of the price of kerosene after this.

Good for San Francisco.

In adopting a resolution endorsing the plan for improving Oakland harbor, formulated by the Oakland Chamber of Commerce, the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce has exhibited both breadth of view and enlightened wisdom.

This proposed improvement, while a crying necessity for this city, is of vast importance to our neighbor across the bay. Every additional facility for shipping provided on the shores of San Francisco bay fortifies the maritime supremacy it holds at present.

The commerce that flows in and out of the Golden Gate is the joint possession of the cities on both sides of the bay. Oakland cannot grow and prosper without adding to the greatness and wealth of San Francisco. Oakland, in return, throbs with a new impulse every time San Francisco receives a fresh accession of trade and capital. Sacramento, Stockton, San Jose and Santa Rosa are all interested in the maintenance of the maritime supremacy of San Francisco bay.

With the increase and enlargement of shipping facilities will come more manufacturing industries, more railroads, more trade, more people. This the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce is wise enough to see, hence urges Congress to grant the appropriation for improving Oakland harbor.

Nevertheless Oakland owes the merchants of San Francisco thanks for the good will shown and the moral support extended. Wisdom does not always override selfishness, which is proverbially shortsighted and prone to jealousy.

It is a healthful and cheering sign that the commercial interests are in accord with the spirit of progress on this side of the bay. Both will thrive better when acting in concert, for in reality they are indivisible, and neither can advance without benefiting the other.

ETHICS OF THE COAL CINCH.

EDITOR TRIBUNE: With much interest and some amazement consumers of fuel read the comments of THE TRIBUNE anent the enormous raise in the price of coal in Oakland. While some of us kick about the rapidly increasing price of all necessities of life, including rent and taxes, we realize that we are quite in the wrong! Our commercial ethics are determined by monetary advantages, real or in expectation. In fact, it would seem easy to prove that the moral code of the civilized (?) world is inextricably mixed up with the dollar-getting habit. Let us admit the fact. The successful nations are invariably the most proficient exploiters and robbers of other and weaker peoples. The brutal conquest of the South African republics had nothing behind it more redeeming than greed. Our lying pretense of "benevolent assimilation" in the Philippine Islands was whelped in the lair of robbery and greed. Our humane considerations are glairingly shown by the rewarded services of "Hell Roaring" Jake Smith, the "water cure" campaign, and last, and probably least, the killing of ten helpless prisoners confined in the Manila jail by injecting cholera-plague virus into their veins! The cablegram informs us that Governor-General Smith approved of the injection experiment! As the Filipino is a dead failure as a trade asset, we have evidently concluded to try him as a substitute for rabbits and guinea pigs in vivisection. Maybe the Filipino objects to our use of him to determine the effects of poisons, as he did to our enslaving him and "assimilating" his property. But as he failed to beat us in war, he should know that he is our property and that we have the right to squirt plague juice into him if we want to. As the rest of us are as hopelessly in the grasp of the coal and other combines that have a cinch on the necessities of life as the Filipinos are in the clutch of our nation it would seem unreasonable in us to howl when the screws are turned to see how much profits we can give up. The coal belongs to the combine; have they not the right—i. e., power—to charge what they please for it? If these combines in control of the necessities of life can shut out competition and raise prices until we are compelled to disgorge all of our savings to tide us over the winter, on what ground can we justify a squeal?

The result of the recent elections can be construed in no other rational light than that of an approval of conditions as they now are.

T. R. STEVENSON.

LET'S HEAR FROM THE PUNDITS.

EDITOR TRIBUNE: I would like to inquire regarding the proper pronunciation of the word "chauffeur." Is the accent on the first or the last syllable? One of the members of a New York show which was in town last week pronounced the word as though it were spelled "showfer." Please tell me if he were right. It is very embarrassing not to know how to address the mahout.

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STRIDES OF SCIENCE.

Doctor—What, troubled with sleeplessness? Eat something before going to bed.

Patient—Why, doctor, you once told me never to eat anything before going to bed.

Doctor (with dignity)—Pooh, pooh! That was last January. Science has made enormous strides since then.—Tit Bits.

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SERVICES IN THE CHURCHES

Noteworthy News of the Work Going on in Oakland Religious Circles.

The First Baptist Church yesterday began the celebration of the fifty-second anniversary of its organization. In the morning the pastor, the Rev. H. J. Vosburgh, preached on the "House of Prayer." In the evening a praise service was held. A large choir rendered a program of numbers as follows:

"Awake the Harp" (Creation), "The Lord Is Great" (Creation), solo, trio and choir; "Lo! My Shepherd Is Divine" (Haydn), quartet and choir; "Hallelujah Amen!" (Jules Macabre), solo numbers—With "Victory Chant" (Creation), soprano; "On These Earth Living Souls Await" (soprano, tenor, baritone); "He Shall Feed His Flock" (Messiah), contralto; "Rejoice, Oh, Judah" (Judith Macabre), soprano, contralto; "Elegy" (violin), Miss Gladys Monroe.

The Rev. George C. Adams, D.D., pastor of the First Congregational church of San Francisco, delivered an address at the evening service.

Tuesday evening a banquet to the men of the church will be given, at which the principal address will be made by the Rev. William C. Spencer of Berkeley. An anniversary prayer meeting will be held Wednesday evening, followed Friday evening by a church social, the hostesses being the members of the Women's Auxiliary. The closing exercises of the week will be conducted Sunday, December 9, in the morning the pastor will preach on "The Servant of His Age." At the evening services Ng Poon Chew and Chung Sai Pat Po will deliver addresses on "China's Awakening and America's Opportunity."

Commencing Thursday, a four-day convention of the Christian and Missionary Alliance will be held at the Swedish Mission Church, Filbert street, near Twelfth. After the opening day there will be three sessions daily, at 10 a. m., 2 and 7:30 p. m. The Rev. G. N. Eldridge and Mrs. Eldridge of Indianapolis, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Worship of South China and W. E. Blackstone of Chicago will be among the speakers.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Centennial Methodist Church at Ninth and Chester streets, will hold a Christmas bazaar December 6 and 7, at the church bazaar. A fancy booth, with Christmas gifts will be in charge of Mrs. Doty, Mrs. Chamberlain and Mrs. Vaughan. Ice cream and cake will be sold by Mrs. Willard and Mrs. Stover. The coffee and sandwiches will be dispensed by Mrs. Anglin, Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Dunsen. Mrs. Kellogg and Mrs. Vaughan will preside at the candy booth. A fine program has been arranged by Mesdames Lawery, Starr and Sankley.

The Rev. Robert Whitaker preached his farewell sermon yesterday at the Twenty-third Avenue Baptist Church. A special musical program was given last evening at the First Presbyterian Church under the direction of Clement Rowlands.

The Rev. W. C. Evans, preaching elder of Oakland district, preached at the Eighth Avenue Methodist Church. At the First Methodist Church the Rev. E. R. Dille, the pastor, resumed preaching, after his return from the East on a trip in the interests of rebuilding burned and damaged Methodist churches in the state in the April disaster.

Work among the Chinese was the subject of an address yesterday morning by Deaconess Drant at St. Paul's church Sunday school.

Friday, December 6, will be observed at St. John's Church, Eighth and Grove streets, as a day of intercession and prayer. Holy communion will be celebrated in the morning at 7:30 o'clock by the Rev. Edwin F. Yee, the rector.

HAVE THE HABIT.

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Another demonstration of the demand for choice building sites was given Saturday and Sunday when scores of buyers visited Boulevard Park adjoining the eastern borders of Oakland. This is a very desirable section and the Seaside Realty Co. are related over the satisfactory showing made from THE TRIBUNE announcement.

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Mr. Lloyd-George, a member of the British cabinet, in a recent speech in Wales, said that there were tens of millions of persons in the United Kingdom enduring year after year the torture of "living on, lacking the bare necessities of life," and all this endured amid a splendid plenty which poured into a land so wealthy that it could afford to loan out of its splendid riches thousands of millions to less well endowed lands in other parts of the world. One of the causes, he said, was the fact that so many of the population of sober, clean men and women who suffered the privations of unmitigated poverty. He said that a large percentage of poverty was due to drink and gambling, and he added that next year the government meant to wrestle with the drink problem in earnest. He said that it would require all the aid all the organizations for the relief and improvement of the lot of humanity could give them. He predicted that this effort of the government to correct the wrong done by drink would lead to a great struggle, but he thought the government would succeed in its effort to break the evil.



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THIS MYSTERY IS UNSOLVED

New York Police Find Them-
selves at Fault Regarding
Identity of Murderer.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—In the case of the child found in a baby carriage at Ninety-fifth street and Third avenue on Saturday night and believed to have been strangled, the police find themselves confronted by another murder case which will pass, in all probability into the archives of unsolved mysteries. They now believe that the leaving of the body with a man's engraved walking cane in the carriage was either a step in the murder or the part of a woman who is supposed to figure in the case. The child's clothing was of the cheapest materials, and some of it was mismatched. On the other hand, the cane left in the baby carriage was a handsome piece of wood and decorated in rich tasteful style. The baby carriage was not new. One theory of the police was that the child was killed outside of the city and brought here for abandonment. After an examination of the child by Coroner Harburger and his physician, Dr. O'Hanlon, yesterday, the officials said they believed the child had been strangled. The autopsy will be held today.

DETECTIVES HAVE THEORY.
The detectives are working on the theory that some time, either on Thursday or Friday, the baby was strangled. Then there passed many hours in which those responsible for the crime took counsel how best to rid themselves of the evidence of their work. They chose the simplest way, wrapping it they wheeled it in the perambulator to the corner of Ninety-fifth street and Third avenue early Saturday night and left it there in view of the hurrying Saturday night crowd. Though the police believe the cane left behind was a blind, they hunted yesterday for a man of the name of "C. A. Gassett," the name inscribed on the plate below the crook of the cane. Four men answering to the name of Gassett were found in Manhattan yesterday, one in Brooklyn and one in Newark. All after examination were dismissed from the field of possibilities.

GERMS GOT BADLY MIXED

Native Newspapers Are Indignant
and Bitter—Experimenters
May Resign.

MANILA, Dec. 3.—An investigation made at Bilibid, where ten prisoners who had been inoculated with cholera serum recently died, has disclosed traces of plague germs in the dead bodies. No formal report on the result of the investigation has been made, and the government has reached no decision in the matter. It is asserted that tubes containing plague germs and others filled with cholera serum, which are so much alike that it is almost impossible to distinguish them apart, were mixed in the laboratory by a visitor who examined the plague germs and, by mistake, placed them in a rack with the cholera tubes. This is said to have occurred during the temporary absence of Dr. R. P. Strong of the Bureau of Science, who has been conducting experiments and inoculating prisoners with cholera serum to test its efficacy. The natives newspapers are indignant and bitter. It is not believed that criminal charges will be preferred, but it is possible that Dr. Strong may resign.

CANADIANS WIN PRIZE

Students of Ontario Agricultural
College Lead Competitors
at Fat Stock Show.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Students of the Ontario Agricultural College, of Guelph, Ont., were awarded the first prize in the judging contest for all animals combined at the International Live-stock Show in the report made yesterday by Professor J. E. Shepherd of North Dakota Agricultural College, the superintendent of the judging. The students' judging team of the Ames Agricultural College of Ames, Iowa, took second, Ohio ranked third, Kansas fourth, Michigan fifth and Texas sixth. In the contest of horse judging for the McLaughlin Brothers' prize, Iowa was first, Texas second, Ohio third, Ontario fourth, Michigan fifth and Kansas sixth. For individual excellence, A. H. Hammer of Ontario ranked first, J. O. Oliver of Kansas second and C. C. Nixon of Ontario third.

SAN JOSE SCALE IN EASTERN ORCHARDS

LEONISTON, Mass., Dec. 3.—The dreaded San Jose scale has been discovered in several fruit orchards in this section by Tree Warden S. R. Walker. This pest does great damage to fruit trees and shrubbery, and as the latest addition to the forces of the gypsy and brown-tail moths, is causing agriculturists much alarm. It is thought that the insects have been brought here on nursery stock from the west.

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LONDON, Dec. 3.—In view of the recent rumors regarding the condition of the health of Joseph Chamberlain, the ex-Colonial secretary, a bulletin was issued from his residence, Highbury, Moore-Green, Birmingham, this morning, stating that Mr. Chamberlain maintains a steady improvement; that he is able to take daily walks and drives and that his eyes have so much improved that he is now allowed to read.

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BON—
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Vaudeville Managers Are Sending
Flattering Offers to Evelyn
Nesbit Thaw.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—So sure is Mrs. Harry K. Thaw of the acquittal of her husband at his forthcoming trial for the murder of Stanford White that she is already negotiating for the purchase of a house in Paris, where the Thaws will take up a permanent residence if the young man is liberated from the Tombs.

Discussing her plans today at the Hotel Lorraine, in the presence of Maud Wycherly, an old friend, Mrs. Thaw said:

"When Harry leaves the prison we shall take the first ship from New York, leaving America behind forever. I have already made arrangements with a Paris real estate firm for the purchase of a modest house in the Champs Elysees district. You see how certain I am of Harry's acquittal."

"I would rather live in Paris than in any other city in Europe. We both feel it would never do for us to come here after the trial, so I am making arrangements to locate permanently in Paris. Many times Harry and I have talked of our future plans—the one side of the heavy steel bars and I on the other. He is impatient for the day of his release."

PLANNING BY STEEL BARS.

Mrs. Thaw was in an unusually hopeful frame of mind. These disclosures of plans of the young couple, made, as she says, between the bars of his cell as he prepares to undergo the ordeal of a trial for his life, were the first words that she has uttered with regard to the future since the night of the tragedy on Madison Square Garden roof.

"I am not disappointed with the delay in bringing Harry to trial," said his young wife, "for because of it the attorneys for my husband have been able to collect testimony which will give Harry his liberty. Poor Harry! He feels keenly the fact that he must remain behind the bars for a longer time, but I have convinced him that it is for the best. No matter how downhearted Harry may be," she added with a flush, "when I come to him in the Tombs he is soon as happy as a school boy."

It was with great reluctance that Mrs. Thaw turned from a discussion of her plans in the event of her husband's acquittal to the problem she will have to face if the verdict of the jury be "guilty." Already she has been the recipient of a score of offers from theatrical managers.

EVENT OF DEATH VERDICT.

"I appreciate," said she, "that I could easily make a fortune on the vaudeville stage, yet I feel that my health would not permit of my entering on such a career."

"Many theatrical managers have approached me with tempting offers, ranging all the way from \$500 to \$3000 a week. But, as I have said, my health is such that I am compelled to take the best care of it, or else find myself in a hospital. These theatrical managers said that I would only have to appear for five minutes—perhaps sing a song—and bow myself off the stage."

"Were Harry to be convicted," she



Latest photograph of Harry Thaw, who will be tried this month.

said hesitatingly, with a flash of terror in her eye, "I might be tempted to consider one of the offers, but it certainly would be impossible."

Eager to escape from the consideration of a possible conviction of her husband, Mrs. Thaw turned hastily from that subject to the stories that have been in circulation with regard to her relations with the elder Mrs. Thaw, Harry's mother, and to the present source of her income.

"People seem curious to know where I get money with which to pay

my living expenses," she said. "Harry receives a substantial yearly allowance, from which I can have all I desire."

And then, speaking very earnestly, she said:

"There is not a word of truth in the report that Harry's mother and I are not on the best of terms. Daily we visit in each other's apartments, for, you know, Mrs. Thaw senior is stopping at the Lorraine. I am never happier than when I am with Harry's mother."

HEART AND MIND CHANGE OUR FACES

It may seem strange that people do not look more alike. The face is a small portion of the human anatomy, and every face is made up of the same parts as every other face, yet very seldom is resemblance so strong even between twins, that one person is not easily distinguished from another. But souls are so different that even if features were the same our faces would still be different, declares a thoughtful writer.

A pure heart and noble mind make one pair of black eyes mild and attractive, while others of the same hue flash with the fiery temper that menaces friendship. The Roman nose, backed by a naughty spirit, is imperious and aggressive, while the same nose with a gentler

mind gives only the feeling of protection. Thin lips sometimes close with an unpleasant firmness, betraying meanness; again they bespeak only refined dignity. The inner life will come to the surface. Rich and blood are not transparent, yet the individual character will show itself in the features.

"No man liveth to himself," yet how many people try to hide themselves within themselves, forgetting that the individuality stamps the features, and a good life can make even a homely face radiant with beauty.

A PRACTICAL SERMON.

Child Clerk—Slowly says he's about discouraged—has been waiting for a promotion for ten years and hasn't got it yet.

Head of the Department—If he'd worked more and waited less he'd got it long ago.—Employees' Magazine.

HAGERMAN WILL FIGHT

Governor of New Mexico Leaves
for Washington to Combat
Charges Against Him.

SANTA FE, N. M., Dec. 3.—Governor H. J. Hagerman of New Mexico, is en route to Washington, and it is reported here that the object of his visit is to combat charges said to have been made against his administration. A bitter fight upon Governor Hagerman was begun after he removed H. O. Bursum, chairman of the Republican territorial committee, from the superintendency of the territorial penitentiary, alleging an apparent shortage of \$10,000 in his accounts. Bursum's removal was followed by several others, and these have joined him, it is said.

The principal charge against the Governor is that he has disorganized the Republican party in the southwest. There are several other charges of a minor nature in the bill of particulars said to have been filed at Washington. Governor Hagerman's friends say he will make sensational counter-charges to the effect that the territorial government has been systematically looted for years by former officials.

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trade of this popular firm up to mammoth proportions, and today they enjoy a most lucrative patronage. These candies are noted for their purity, made absolutely from the very best of ingredients. No wonder the demand for it is great. In addition to sweetmeats this company are the sole agents for the celebrated Indian Cough Tonic and the German Celery Beer, two articles that are eagerly sought after, and they possess all the qualities claimed for them. The trade of the Keller Candy Company this month promises to be a record-breaker, the holiday business already being larger than usual for this time of the year.

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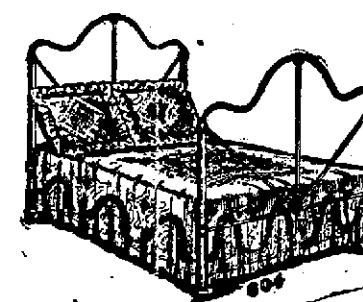
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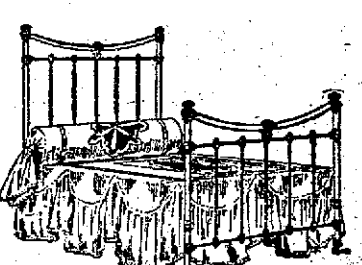
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